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1. The first of the river craft being built in Hanoi for the USSR, the BAKHAL, will soon be taken out for a test run. If the weather is good, it will be tested near Rueyon Island.
2. There have been several acts of sabotage recently on the SOVIET ship, for instance, on 18 November, a valve was opened and water poured into our engine room, causing the vessel to list ten degrees. A few weeks ago, several completed cabins were drenched and marked up with red lead. In addition, the main land cable was cut at the main distribution switchboard.
3. The expenses in connection with the vessel RU... amounted to 43,700,000 VND, of which 43,021,000 VND were recognized as coming out of reparations.

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